

OCTOBER 2014 MINUTES

for the Mile High Area Service Committee Meeting

5 Oct 2014

1. Opening Prayer – Pat G

Reading of 12 Traditions – Krys G

12 Concepts of Narcotics Anonymous – Morgan S

2. Please submit literature orders now as they are only accepted until the break. (Please use current order forms, *revised June 26, 2014.*)

3. Welcome new GSRs, GSRA's and visitors. If you are new, please tell us your name and group:

Morgan – Free at Last

Erika – Blues Breakers

Sean - BYOL

Request mentors for new GSRs.

All/Brendon are available (just grab one of these guys)

Recognize clean time anniversaries.

Tate – 5 yrs

Linda – 3 yrs

Markus – 11 ys

Nick – 4 yr

4. Approval of September Minutes

Motion to Table – Tiffani S.

Motion passed

5. Administrative Reports

a. Chair – Pat G

b. Vice Chair – Karl S

I will be resigning as soon as we get a new vice chairperson in place.

I have decided to coordinate our area Write-to-Inmates Program

c. Secretary – Lena S – apologies for minutes being sent out so late.
please do not send any PDF files

d. Treasurer Opening Report – George –

\$464.98. Discrepancy between George's records & banks. Audit being done now using a program SmartBooks, should be done by mid month.

e. RCM 2 – Brendon (Regional Assembly Report Attached)

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f. RCM 1 – Al G (notes from Area below & minutes from Regional Assembly attached)

The Regional Assembly took place in Loveland on Sep 19th. First and foremost I want take the time to acknowledge the GSRs from the MHA that were in attendance and participated.

Rose S – Sunday Eve on the Hill

Danny – Young at Heart

Linda – No Matter What

David – Keeping it Clean

Melissa – Spiritual Awakening

Lauren C – Humble Lights

Sarah L – Living Clean

The RD position was filled by Jaime C of the Pikes Peak Area

The RDA position was filled by Tawni C of the Boulder Area.

PI Chair position is still open and in need. It has been an empty position for almost a year now. Please announce at meeting

Instructions on how to add an event to the Regional Calendar was presented. These instructions will be posted on the website and in the minutes. Please have your RCM's add events to the Regional calendar or our area web person.

Campout Committee positions are to be nominated and elected at Nov region.

The CRCNA barn dance took a loss financially this year and last year. Hopefully the CRCNA committee finds a way to make this event successful next year.

The Regional campout was a huge success. They were able to donate \$1000.00 plus to region and world with \$1000.00 seed money left over for the campout next year.

A couple other bits of information to pass forward.

- E-Lit - Some literature can be purchased and downloaded from Amazon and iTunes
- NA speaks 72 languages and is published in 42 languages.

Thanks for letting me be of service

Al G.

RCM1 – Mile High Area

6. Roll Call: Quorum = 14 (June - apx'ly. 27; July - 27; August - 26)

7. Nominations for / Election of Training Coordinator.

8. Old Business

a. Social Media Policy - Done

9. Group Reports (Please submit to the secretary in writing or email to be added to minutes.)

Bridget – Southern Serenity – Chili Cookoff – flyer to come – on Website

Mustaffa – said there was old business – talk to Pat

DefCom Thanksgiving event Saturday before Thanksgiving – Mile Hi Church –

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Michael H POC for more info

10. Open Sharing Session

DO WE WANT TO FORM A SMALL GROUP TO BRING OPTIONS TO US
ONLY PROPOSAL SEEN IS THAT ADMIN GROUP GET TOGETHER BEFORE AREA
REGARDING THE WAY TO PRESENT THIS TO YOU

Feedback

Lindsey – ADHOC suggested

Brendon – also agreed as per GSR's could participate

Krys – agrees with ADHOC

Brendon – agrees that we are at a point of “willingness”

11. Ten Minute Break

12. Reading of Service Prayer

13. Subcommittee Reports

Activities – Sean P

We do not have any new events to report this month.

Freakers ball will be at 1212 Mariposa on the 1st of November from 7-11. We have a speaker meeting that starts at 6pm on the faces of fear addiction brought you by Tamera L. Admission is \$5 per person but no addict will be turned away. By paying admission you will get a meal/pizza ticket and support these events.

We will have NYE tickets available at CRCNA.

Thank you for letting me be of service

Sean P.

H&I - given by Vice Chair, Michelle W.

I need to report to you with great sadness that the chair of H & I has to step down due to personal issues. As your vice chair I am ready to step up into the chair position, if this area is willing. I have been reaching out to my sponsor, Alan F, Terry C, and Valerie M. and am asking for some guidance from them as previous H & I chairs. . CRCNA is right around the corner and I am attending the regional meeting on Friday October 24th at CRCNA. I found out t-shirts are here today.

Literature - Kevin – Lit Website wiped out. No info as of now. Stephanie is now working on this. Krys suggested Kevin speak with George to use Salesforce.

Pat suggested that we go back & account for missing report

Phone Line – Jordan B (none sent)

to send – process of assembling new sub-committee needs Training coordinator & secretary please announce at meetings

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Public Information - Dan

made dual announcement for H&I

Al G asked where bus kiosk is. Dan explained where & gave stats

Hello from your Public Information committee! My name is Dan and I'm an addict.

I'd like to inform you all of the \$2054 spent on the recent H&I and P.I. book order we placed with Literature on August 3, 2014. This literature order was picked up by us today, October 5, 2014. Public Information will use 5 each of the following hard cover books that were purchased for our on-going Mile High Area library donation project: Basic Texts, It Works: How and Why and Living Clean: The Journey Continues. Hospitals and Institutions received the remainder of this order which entails 50 each of all the following soft cover: Basic Text, It Works: How and Why, Just For Today and the NA Step Working Guide. **Thank you to the entire Fellowship for the 7th Tradition funds that made this literature purchase possible!**

With regard to the bus kiosk on the east side of Kalamath and north side of Colfax...our account is up to date and healthy. I will be exploring the possibility of our ad being moved one more time before this one year contract is up at the beginning of February 2015. Ideally I think a move to around Denver Health would be a great location and I will work with Street Media Group to see if there is an opening in that area.

Nothing else to report today.

Public Information will continue to answer inquiries made by the public as they are received.

Please pass along an invitation to anyone in our Fellowship, with any length of clean time, to attend our monthly Public Information meeting on Area Sundays at 12 noon. The more folks we have involved, the more we can carry the N.A. message to the still suffering addict. Please spread the word that every N.A. member has a place in the Public Information committee and we would be delighted to serve along with you; carrying our primary purpose to those that may not be aware of our life-saving Fellowship.

A variety of rewarding service opportunities await you as Public Information fulfills our primary purpose of carrying the message to addicts who still suffer.

In humble service,

Dan M.

Training – Sara L

Today was my first day as training chair. There was one new GSR who attended the training. Just a reminder, training for GSR/A begins at 1:00 on the first Sunday of the month before area. I am requesting funds to make copies of the 33 page GSR/A training guide that can be found at the MHASC website under trusted servants. I shouldn't need more than 3 copies per month (to be used upcoming months if left over).

I would like to create a subcommittee and request two or three members who are knowledgeable of the 12 Concepts, 12 Traditions, or the training subcommittee. If there is anyone interested please meet me at 1212 Mariposa on the first Sunday of the month at 12:40 next month on Sunday November 2.

Krys G

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Announced that Sara will be shadowing service training for 3 months than to be mentored by Krys G & Dan M

Website – Mike H. (See Attached)

PR Coordinator - Krys

I was absent last month due to a scheduling conflict. In the last 2 months not much has happened. I received 1 call from a Denver High School asking about how to get more literature and the possibility of having presentations to both the Students and Staff. They will contact us if they need one.

In the PR meeting we discussed way to better retain new trainees. We have fallen off on having a subcommittee persons at the training to get the prospective committee member assigned to a specific assignment. H & I will consider having a service buddy the will keep new members involve for at least the first 3 months. The Phone line committee is in need of addicts to fill several newly opened slots. The Web Servant is going to create an event request group consisting of the Web Servant, Phone Line, Activities, and PR Coordinator and email containing all new events. This is intended to improve the communication of new events.

I will be performing an adhoc survey of members at the Colorado Regional Convention about the best ways for the service structure to communicate to the fellowship.

In loving service,

Krys G.

CRCNA Liaison – Tiff S (none sent)

14. Treasurer Report of Funds – George (none sent)
15. New Business / Motions
 - Disbursement of funds
 - Discussion of open positions (H & I & Vice Chair)
16. Disbursement of Funds (Outside of approved budgets.)
 - Chair of Training Guides – 16 yes
 - \$30...correspondence programs – Karl S - 12/0
17. Action Items for next month
 - Audit should be done by mid-November per George W
18. Closing Treasurer's Balance \$ _____
19. Announcements / Reminders for next Month

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Budget meeting next month.

20. 5:00 pm Adjournment or Motion to Extend Business

Please be courteous and wait to end of meeting to pack up